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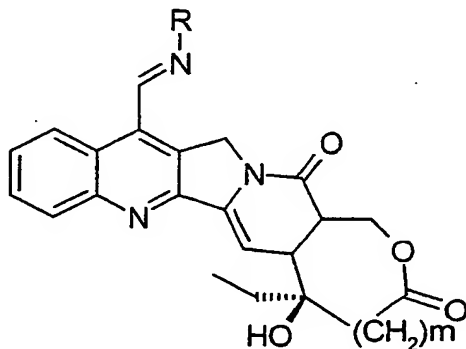
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(57) Abstract: Compounds are disclosed with the general formula (I) in
which the groups are as defined in the description here below and char-
acterized by the presence of polyamine substituents on the imine/oxime
residue, such amine groups being in turn protected by suitable protec-
tive groups. Said compounds are endowed with potent topoisomerase I
inhibiting activity and therefore are useful as medicaments for the treat-
ment of tumours and viral and parasite infections.

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